UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)



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FOR: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD, AND RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDED WITH IMAGE PROCESSING PROGRAM TO PROCESS IMAGE TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION

DIFFERENCE IN IMAGE PICKUP CONDITION USING AAM

Enclo	sed are:		
\boxtimes	23 pages of specification,	claims,	abstract.

Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Priority Claimed.

Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 11-168690

11 sheets of formal drawing.

An assignment of the invention to Minolta Co., Ltd.

and the assignment recordation fee.

An associate power of attorney.

Averified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.

Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.

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Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					\$0.00
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